





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Masahiro Shiroo, et al.

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Title: Regulation of Human Transient Receptor Potential Channel

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